

2026 Regular Session

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 21

BY REPRESENTATIVE HORTON

COMMENDATIONS: Commends John Keith of AllState Land and Timber on being named Louisiana Outstanding Logger of the Year

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

2 To commend John Keith of AllState Land and Timber on being named Louisiana  
3 Outstanding Logger of the Year.

4 WHEREAS, it is most fitting to recognize John Keith of AllState Land and Timber  
5 in Haughton, Louisiana, for his commitment to safe and efficient logging practices; and

6 WHEREAS, Louisiana loggers are integral members of the forest community who  
7 move timber from forest land to mills so that it can be processed into useful products;  
8 without loggers, the forest industry would not exist, and Louisiana's forests would become  
9 overgrown and unproductive; and

10 WHEREAS, logging is traditionally a family-centered industry that is made up of  
11 small businesses that utilize family members in their operations; loggers contribute  
12 significantly to their respective local economies by purchasing fuel and lubricants and  
13 supporting charitable causes and community needs; and

14 WHEREAS, loggers face a number of variables, including inclement weather, market  
15 volatility, equipment breakdowns, and labor issues, in their day-to-day operations; these  
16 hurdles often lead to demanding work hours, and loggers rely on their family and faith to  
17 push them through the day; and

18 WHEREAS, John Keith was selected by his peers as the representation of all that is  
19 good about the logging industry; he has long provided the state's forest industry with a vital  
20 service delivering timber to processing facilities, and he currently serves as president of the  
21 Louisiana Logging Council; and

1           WHEREAS, Mr. Keith is highly regarded for his professionalism and use of  
2 Louisiana's Forestry Best Management Practices, and his reputation for doing quality work  
3 has placed him in high demand by timberland owners; he is truly most deserving of the  
4 highest recognition for his incredible work.

5           THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby  
6 commend John Keith of AllState Land and Timber on being named Louisiana Outstanding  
7 Logger of the Year; does hereby recognize his steadfast dedication and commitment to the  
8 logging industry; and does hereby extend enduring appreciation for his tireless efforts  
9 performing safe and efficient logging practices that benefit Louisiana's environment and  
10 economy.

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